

Thanksgiving Titbits

AT

The Teapot

CRANBERRIES

PLUM PUDDINGS

MINCE MEAT

CRANBERRY SAUCE

OLIVES

NUTS, FIGS

MALAGA CLUSTER RAISINS

UNION THANKSGIVING SERVICE

The congregations of the Presbyterian, Baptist, Methodist and Christian churches will hold a union Thanksgiving service at the Christian church on tomorrow at 10:30 a. m. Rev. T. J. Nixon, pastor of the Methodist church, will preach the sermon and the other pastors will take part in the service.

SILKS

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I will sell my new 1900 model Monarch Chainless Bicycle at a bargain. Has been in use less than a month.

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My ten-room residence. All modern conveniences. Terms easy. Possession about January 1st. Also some furniture for sale. Apply at house.

Simon Benjamin.

FOR SALE OR RENT

Desirable residences and cottages in different parts of the city, almost any size or style desired, for rent, and will sell on most advantageous terms. Have you property to rent, or do you desire to rent property? In either case, apply to S. D. Moody in city building.

TRULY IT IS A WONDER

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Has made some wonderful cures of Chills and Fever of all kinds after physicians of high repute have failed. For the toning up of a run-down system it has no equal. It costs nothing if it does not cure, because your dealer will refund you the purchase price. For sale by Tydings & Co.

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COLD STORAGE

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East Fla. Ice Mfg. Co.,
Simon Benjamin, Manager.

LOST

A gold chain bracelet with gold padlock, along Main street or Fort King avenue. Finder will be rewarded by returning to F. G. B. Weihe.

HONORED THEIR SECRETARY

Felicitous Festivities of the Fraternal Union—An Evening of Enjoyment

Col. Jno. L. Handley, of Denver, Col., Supreme Secretary of the thriving order, the Fraternal Union of America, and one of the organizers and charter members of the first lodge, arrived in the city yesterday at noon from Inverness and was met by Messrs. W. K. Zewadski, C. L. Bittinger and R. G. Blake, of the reception committee, and escorted to the Ocala House, where apartments had been secured for him. After dinner the members of the committee before mentioned, with Mrs. Blake, drove the Colonel out to Silver Springs and securing a boat showed him the wonders and glory thereof, and the visitor went into ecstasies over the beautiful body of water and declared that it was the grandest and most beautiful thing of its kind he had ever seen. Returning to the city he was driven over the city and was much impressed with our thrifty little town, which he said compared most favorably with any he had seen in the South.

Shortly after 8 o'clock the Fraters, their lady companions and invited guests began to assemble in the lodge rooms, where in a short time an even hundred had gathered. The short but interesting program commenced with a song by Miss Lena Bullock, one of the city's sweetest singers, accompanied on the organ by Professor Pike. She sang even better than usual and was heartily applauded. Chairman W. K. Zewadski, in a few well conceived remarks, introduced the distinguished speaker and visitor, Col. Handley, who for nearly an hour, though it seemed much less, held the closest attention of the intelligent audience, while he gave a brief but comprehensive history of the conception of the order and its growth and improvement from the date of its organization in Denver four years ago, with 500 members, to the present time, when it has over 17,000 members in good standing. He told how the old line companies said it could not live and do business for more than three years, but that in the four years of its existence it has paid out over a quarter of a million dollars in death and accident claims, has paid every single claim, never contested one, and has over \$45,000 in the benefit fund, invested in government bonds and other gilt edged security. He said that with the plan of the Fraternal Union, which is that a member pays whether living or dead, as \$20 of his policy, the amount it is estimated that it costs to carry a policy of \$1000 to maturity, is taken from the policy and placed in bank to the credit of the reserve fund, where it draws interest and compound interest, and therefore earns more than the premiums on the policy would have done, had the Frater lived. Colonel Handley explained the good features of the order in a masterly manner and his talk will redound to the good of this lodge, which now has, with the new members coming in, over 160 members. Colonel Handley told several amusing stories, in his pleasing way, which caused much laughter. He urged the ladies to come into the order and insure their lives for the benefit of the husband and children and give a fellow a chance to look around when she passed away and not be under the necessity of taking the first woman who said yes, to look after his children. This raised a laugh, but was a point well made.

Following Colonel Handley's address was a cornet solo by that finished soloist, Albert Gerig. This was well rendered and roundly applauded. Mrs. R. G. Blake sang a solo, "Sleep, My Baby, Sleep," which was exceedingly well sung and had a pleasing effect on the audience. Following this, Mr. Zewadski told forty of the audience nearest the door to hie themselves unto the ante-room, where Frater Dame and his corps of assistants, among them those zealous lodge workers, Brown, Sage, Young, Moody, Thagard and others, had a bounteous supper ready for them—oysters, stewed and raw, coffee, bread and crackers, celery and pickles, etc. The guests did ample execution at the festive board and praised the little impromptu supper in a manner greatly pleasing to the Fraters. There was plenty for all, two and even three plates of oysters, if desired, and rife is the rumor that some of the Fraters took as high as seven big soup plates full and some indictments and trials in lodge may be the result. The session broke

MEN DIFFER ON MANY

Questions—some just now on who should be our next mayor, but when it comes to Shoes they all agree that a good fitting, comfortable Shoe is a luxury; but whose make and where to buy them is a question.

A good many men—and the number is rapidly on the increase—have settled that matter and buy the Humanic Shoe from us, as they say it's the best Shoe they ever had for fit, comfort and wear. We haven't a Shoe in the store that we have more confidence in; there is not a "trick of the trade" in its make-up; material, workmanship and all that goes to make good, honest footwear is always sure to be found in the Humanic Shoe.

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J. M. NEELY'S

—THE—

SHOE AND HAT MAN

OCALA FLA.

up at 11 o'clock and all departed well pleased with the evening and with each other.

THANKSGIVING SOCIAL

A Thanksgiving Social is to be given by the Epworth League at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. F. G. B. Weihe, on Buckalew Heights, Thursday evening at 7:30 o'clock. Be on time, so as not to miss any of the following program:

Prayer, Rev. T. J. Nixon; Scripture reading, Psalms 150; song, "Good Evening" (Round); paper, "The Thankful Heart;" music, League orchestra (six pieces); recitation, "Thanksgiving Street;" song, "Ode to Thanksgiving" (new hymn by Fannie J. Crosby, the blind poet); air, "America"; music, instrumental; selection, "The Pumpkin" (Whittier); music, League orchestra; recitation, "Thanksgiving in Ocala" (after Field); exercise, "What We Have to Be Thankful For;" reading, "Epworth Sunbeam;" League paper, Thanksgiving edition.

Every one invited. No charges. Each lady member of the League (and others who wish) are requested to bring a small lunch for "two."

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A CARD FROM MR. ISRAEL

He Says Ocala Has an Excellent Postal Service in Proportion to the Size of the Town

Editor Star: I desire to reply to the article of Mr. Hunnicutt in yesterday's Star, relative to poor mail service from Ocala north, inasmuch as it is not exactly fair to the Ocala post office or the service now given this place, which for a small town is a remarkably good service. We despatch a mail from this office at 9 p. m. daily and Sunday going north. This mail leaves Ocala on the midnight Seaboard Air Line train, arriving in Jacksonville early next morning and makes close connection with the northern trains, carrying most of the northern mails. A letter written and mailed in the Ocala post office by 9 o'clock p. m. has the same advantage as one written in Jacksonville the same time. This is a through pouch service and the business men and citizens of Ocala should appreciate this fact, as otherwise the mail would lay over until next day at 11:50 a. m. Ocala has three direct mails north daily, besides other connections, which I think a very good service.

Now, as to Mr. Hunnicutt not receiving the Star, I can account for that. The Star, published in the afternoon, is not received in the Ocala post office until next morning anywhere from 8 to 10 o'clock and consequently cannot be despatched on the night train same day as published. If the Star will get their papers in the Ocala post office same day as published by 9 p. m. all papers going to Jacksonville, West Florida, East Coast and out of the state will be despatched on midnight train and make close connections. I only answer this article as the impression goes around that it is the fault of the Ocala post office and poor mail service and you can see by my explanation that it is not.

Very truly,

Jacob Israel,
Assistant Postmaster.



A THANKSGIVING DINNER

Is never complete without a supply of Confectionery. But poor Confectionery is worse than none. One can't be too careful in buying. The right kind will do good; the wrong kind will do harm. Its as easy to get pure, wholesome candy as the other kind. It's merely a matter of finding the right place. Suppose you try here.

T. W. TROXLER.

STRAYED

Three cows: One yellow, unmarked, small crumpled horns; two white, with small specks or spots on them, marked swallowfork and under bit in one ear, split and under square in the other, branded with single 5. Strayed from Montbrook about the 15th of November. Suitable reward for their return, or information of their whereabouts.

Ed. Wynn,
Montbrook, Fla.

BOOKS! BOOKS! BOOKS!

We will have some books for the holidays on Tuesday, bought at a price and will be sold the same way. Call early, as the supply will be limited.

Ocala Music Co.

NOTICE

Those desiring work for the holidays would do well to place their orders as early as possible, as our studio is always taxed to its utmost capacity during this season.

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